Amendments to the Claims

Listing of Claims:

Claims 1-30 (canceled).

Claim 31 (currently amended): Mounting hardware for a tall-cabinet pullout, comprising:

an upper rail ~~(3)~~ and a lower rail ~~(2)~~;

a rigid frame ~~(1)~~ having an upper segment attached to said upper rail ~~(3)~~ and a lower segment ~~(10)~~ attached to said lower rail ~~(2)~~;

a furniture front ~~(5)~~ affixed to said rigid frame ~~(1)~~;

a plurality of height-adjustment screws disposed at a spacing distance from one another along said lower rail, said height-adjustment screws

locking said lower segment ~~(10)~~ of said rigid frame to said lower rail ~~(2)~~; and

setting a spacing distance between said lower segment ~~(1)~~ of said rigid frame ~~(1)~~ and said lower rail ~~(2)~~ for vertically setting a position of said rigid frame ~~(1)~~ between said upper rail ~~(3)~~ and said lower rail ~~(2)~~;

wherein turning of said height adjustment screws causes a vertical adjustment of said rigid frame ~~(1)~~ between said upper and lower rails ~~(2, 3)~~ without unlocking an attachment between said lower segment of said rigid frame and said lower rail ~~(2)~~; and

a locking hatch ~~(11)~~ for locking said lower segment of said rigid frame ~~(1)~~ to said lower rail ~~(2)~~, said locking latch ~~(11)~~ having a locked position wherein said

locking latch ~~(11)~~ is spring-biased and slidably engaged against said screws in said lower frame segment ~~(10)~~; and

a spring supported in said lower frame segment and wherein the locking latch in said lower frame segment is formed sufficiently long so as to be biased by said spring to protrude in the locked position out from said lower frame segment and be pushed against said spring that is supported in said lower frame segment to unlock said rigid frame from between the upper and lower rails.

Claim 32 (currently amended): The mounting hardware according to claim 31, wherein said height adjustment screws are two screws screwed into said lower rail, wherein each of said screws has a head ~~(24)~~ extending through a bottom of said lower frame segment ~~(10)~~, and each of said screws has a support surface ~~(13)~~ engaging under the bottom of said lower frame segment ~~(10)~~, and wherein said spring biased locking latch engages into a recess between each said head (24) and said support surface ~~(13)~~ of said screws when said locking latch is in the locked position.

Claim 33 (canceled):

Claim 34 (withdrawn - currently amended). The mounting hardware according to claim 31, wherein:

a first bolt ~~(14)~~ and a second bolt ~~(14)~~ are affixed to said upper rail ~~(3)~~, and a snap lock ~~(7)~~ and a guide block ~~(6)~~ are affixed to said upper segment of said rigid frame; and

said first bolt ~~(14)~~ is engaged in said snap lock ~~(7)~~ and said second bolt ~~(14)~~ is engaged in said guide block ~~(6)~~ when said rigid frame is engaged to said upper rail ~~(3)~~.

Claim 35 (withdrawn - currently amended). The mounting hardware according to claim 34, wherein said second bolt ~~(14)~~ is slid through a slit in said snap lock ~~(7)~~ and into a slit formed in said guide block ~~(6)~~ and said first bolt is slid into a slit formed in said snap lock ~~(7)~~ to engage said first bolt in said snap lock and said second bolt in said guide block.

Claim 36 (withdrawn - currently amended). The mounting hardware according to claim 35, wherein said snap lock ~~(7)~~ hooks around said first bolt ~~(14)~~ when said upper segment of said rigid frame is engaged to said upper rail.

Claim 37 (withdrawn - currently amended). The mounting hardware according to claim 31, wherein said furniture front ~~(5)~~ is fixed on a front segment of said frame ~~(1)~~ by two vertically spaced adjustment straps ~~(8)~~ that are affixed horizontally on said furniture front ~~(5)~~, and two adjustment blocks ~~(9)~~ that are respectively screwed to said frame within a recess in each of said straps.

Claim 38 (withdrawn - currently amended). The mounting hardware according to claim 37, wherein elongated holes ~~(19)~~ are provided in the adjustment straps to permit horizontal adjustment and vertical positioning of lateral edges of said furniture front ~~(5)~~ by fastening screws ~~(17)~~.

Claim 39 (withdrawn - currently amended). The mounting hardware according to claim 38, wherein the fastening screws ~~(17)~~ are screwed into the adjustment blocks ~~(9)~~, wherein a space between the respective adjustment strap ~~(8)~~ and adjustment block ~~(9)~~ are adjusted by changing the height of the heads of adjustment screws ~~(18)~~, which are disposed in the adjustment block and push against the adjustment straps.

Claim 40 (withdrawn - currently amended). The mounting hardware according to claim 49, wherein said furniture front ~~(5)~~ is additionally attached by means of screws in elongated holes ~~(22)~~ formed in said frame ~~(1)~~.

Claim 41 (withdrawn - currently amended). The mounting hardware according to claim 31, wherein said lower rail comprises movable and stationary parts, and further comprising a buffer ~~(27)~~ connected to said movable part of the lower rail ~~(2)~~ that engages with a limit stop ~~(26)~~ formed on a metal support plate ~~(25)~~ mounted on said stationary part of said lower rail ~~(2)~~.

Claim 42 (withdrawn - currently amended). The mounting hardware according to claim 41, wherein said buffer ~~(27)~~ is engaged into said lower rail ~~(2)~~ by way of a holder ~~(29)~~ having an open stop ring ~~(30)~~ engaging said bolt ~~(31)~~.

Claim 43 (withdrawn - currently amended). The mounting hardware according to claim 42, wherein said bolt ~~(31)~~ is formed by a portion of one of said height adjustment screws ~~(4)~~.

Claim 44 (withdrawn - currently amended). The mounting hardware according to claim 41, wherein the limit stop ~~(26)~~ for the buffer is formed by a folded-up angle in the rear metal support plate ~~(25)~~.

Claim 45 (withdrawn - currently amended). The mounting hardware according to claim 41, wherein said buffer ~~(27)~~ is a pneumatic buffer with a reset spring.